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Responsive to the Official Action dated April 19, 2007, applicant hereby amends Paragraph 1 of the specification, cancels Claims 24 and 25, and submits herewith a Terminal Disclaimer.

[0001] This is a continuation-in-part of copending Application Serial No. 10/055,857, filed January 25, 2002, and entitled "COMPRESSED AIR VACUUM, now Patent No. 6,826,799."